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Hello,

I'm writing to say that I believe that settling with Microsoft is a bad idea. It is clear to me that Microsoft acted in violation of the Sherman act and that action should be taken to prevent further violation. Even now, Microsoft is pursuing "business as usual" and, after a settlement, we can expect it to continue. For example, the pricing for Windows XP is ridiculous given that it is for all practical purposes functionally equivalent to Windows 2000 with a few new applications thrown in.

Just some thoughts,

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